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SUPPLY DIVISION WEEKLY REPORT
PERIOD ENDING 28 MAY 1984

I. Progress Report on Tasks Assigned by the DCI/DDCI

None.

II. Items or Events of Major Interest that have Occurred
During the Preceding Week:

a. TDY's:

25X1 [] returned 29 May from a two-week TDY
25X1 [] returned 29 May from a
25X1 five-week training period []
25X1 [] returned 29 May after attending the Field Admin
25X1 Course []

b. Wang

25X1 [] SD/OSB, has been named as the
25X1 backup System Administrator for the Wang Alliance in the case
of [] absence. []

c. FARS Downtime

25X1 FARS experienced some down time on 23-24 May due to a
thunderstorm. At the time a program was running that retires
finalized records from FARS suspense file to FARS history
file. The system took two power hits and went totally down on
the second one. The system was brought back to life with no
apparent problems, but when the retirement program was
restarted, it failed. It was decided that both the history and
suspense files would be dumped back into the system on the
morning of 24 May. Unfortunately, we could not get the system
to come up at all that morning. Our hardware support
contractor responded quickly to our call for help and they were
able to diagnose the problem as a blown circuit breaker within
the CPU that handles the disk adapter and were able to fix it
so that we were back on line with all systems running smoothly
by 10:a.m. []

d. Retirement of FARS Records

On 7 May 1984, IDSB began its semi-annual retirement
of FARS records. All records that had been finalized in the
FARS suspense file were moved to the history file. This
retirement process has taken eight days so far. Total number

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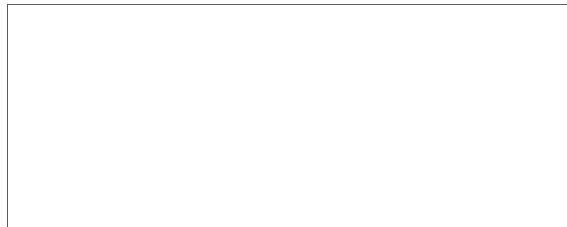
of records that have been moved over as of 29 May is 4,102. This process also moves all suspense messages that go with these records, in this case 14,856, which works out to almost four messages per record on average.

The catchall here is that the larger our history file becomes, the slower the process of retirement. When we started a new history tape last October and did a retirement, it took only four days and we retired some 6,325 records.

Still to be accomplished is the compression of suspense and suspense message files. This procedure will delete the empty spaces caused by the removal of files to history and give us a much quicker backup time.

III. Significant Events Anticipated During the Coming Week

None.



Distribution:

Orig & 1 - D/L
1 - OL/CD
1 - OL/MD
1 - OL/SD
1 - OL/I&MSS
1 - OSB Official

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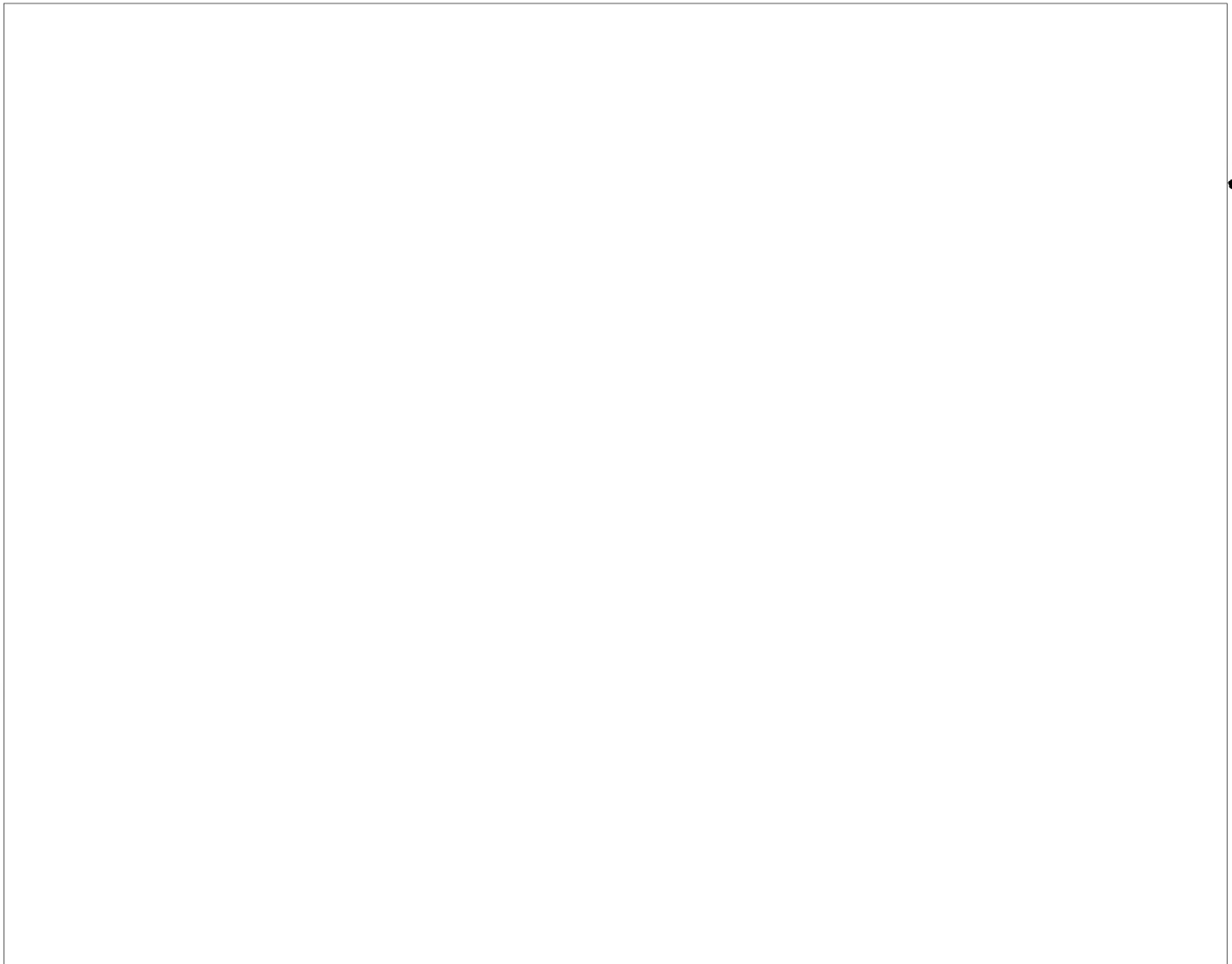


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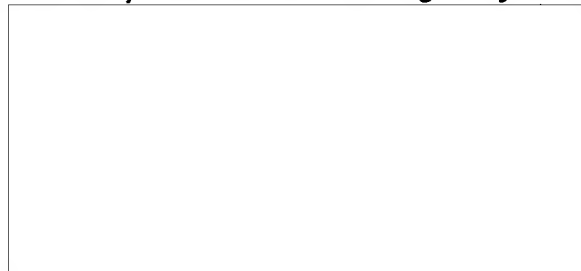
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e. Support to the Office of Communications:

personnel are in the process of preparing on a priority basis firm packing specifications and drawings to be used in the commercial export packing of shielded enclosure doors. This action was necessitated as a result of approximately 20 doors being rejected due to faulty commercial packing.

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